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AMENDMENTS TO LB 901

1 1. Strike original section 1 and insert the following

2 new section:

3 "Section 1. Section 45-103, Revised Statutes Supplement,

4 2000, is amended to read:

5 45-103. Interest For decrees and judgments rendered 6 before the effective date of this act, interest on decrees and 7 judgments for the payment of money shall be fixed at a rate equal 8 to one percentage point above the bond equivalent yield, as 9 published by the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, of 10 the average accepted auction price for the last auction of 11 fifty-two-week United States Treasury bills in effect on the date 12 of entry of the judgment. For decrees and judgments rendered on 13 and after the operative date of this section, interest on decrees 14 and judgments for the payment of money shall be fixed at a rate 15 equal to two percentage points above the bond investment yield, as 16 published by the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, of 17 the average accepted auction price for the first auction of each 18 annual quarter of the twenty-six-week United States Treasury bills in effect on the date of entry of the judgment. 19 The State Court 20 Administrator shall distribute notice of such rate and any changes 21 to it to all Nebraska judges to be in effect two weeks after the 22 date the auction price is published by the Secretary of the

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Treasury of the United States. This interest rate shall not apply

1 (1) An action in which the interest rate is specifically

- 2 provided by law; or
- 3 (2) An action founded upon an oral or written contract in
- 4 which the parties have agreed to a rate of interest other than that
- 5 specified in this section.".